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BUSINESS CEASES AT NOON

Many Boats Put Out to Greet the Vessels, and Shores Present Animated Scene.

Valparaiso, Feb. 14.—Indescribable animation reigns here. Since early this morning the hotels and boarding houses have been filled to the utmost capacity. Many slept in the parks and open places last night, calmly awaiting the much-desired day. All vessels in the bay, national and foreign, are lavishly adorned with bunting. The banks and commercial houses closed at noon, as no employee could stand by his desk while the fleet was passing.

The day is cloudy, but there is no wind at all, which makes advantageous the majestic passage of the fleet. Papers of all classes of opinion published editorials keenly appreciating the significance of the fleet's visit. One paper calculated that 1,937 shots would be fired today.

At 2:10 p. m. fleet of American battleships under Rear Admiral Evans has just been sighted off Curaumilla Light. The vessels are in column formation and are approaching rapidly. The day is beautiful and the spectacle of the sixteen big ships of war forging steadily over the blue water is magnificent.

Many boats put out, the better to witness the passing of the fleet. The shore along the point is crowded with people.

The converted cruiser Yankton came in here several hours ahead of the warships.

President Monta and other high officials of the Republic came out from shore to greet the battleships and almost the entire Chilean navy exchanged salutes with them as they swung around Curaumilla Point and into Valparaiso Bay in single file, headed by the Chilean cruiser Chacabuco and five Chilean torpedo boat destroyers.

President Monta and other Chilean officials embarked on the training ship Gen. Baquedano and took a position well out in the harbor. Around the Baquedano the fleet swung around at a speed of four knots, firing the Presidential salute as they passed in review. It was one hour from the time the head of the fleet entered the bay until the last vessel had passed the President's ship and toward the open sea. Then the Baquedano lifted anchor and escorted the fleet well out of the bay and on its way to the north. It was a view such as has never before been seen in Valparaiso Bay and one that will long be remembered by the people of Chile who came miles to see it.

In the city of Valparaiso tonight celebrations of every kind are in progress and everywhere may be heard words of praise for Admiral Evans or having honored Valparaiso with a visit.

The enthusiasm of the Chileans was almost boundless. In the saluting 1,200 shots were fired.

Colder at Caddo, Okla.

Caddo, Ok., Feb. 14.—It has been raining here for the past four or five days, and the ground is well soaked and seasonable after about five weeks' drouth. It is much colder today.

Twenty-Degree Drop at Ardmore.

Ardmore, Ok., Feb. 14.—The temperature dropped twenty degrees this afternoon. Light flurries of snow fell.

B. Y. P. U. Program.

Subject Great Chapters.
Scripture Reading, 1st John 1:1-10.
Leader—Miss Ruth Taylor.
Paper on Asia Minor, Mr. Carlton Weaver.

Repeat 1st John 2:1-2—Miss Vera Giles.

Paper on the Apostle John—By Pastor.

Union meets at 8:45 p. m. Every one cordially invited to attend.

NEW BILLS

PAYMENT ON DAMAGES TO EMPLOYEES PROPOSED IN THE HOUSE.

WOULD FIX LIABILITY OF STATE

Measures Makes Settlement by Legislative Appropriation Mandatory, on Submission by Officials.

Guthrie, Ok., Feb. 14.—To fix the liability of the state, or any political subdivision in the death or injury of an officer or employee is the purpose of a bill by Mr. Reeve of Washita and Custer counties. It is made mandatory upon the legislature to appropriate damages upon claims being presented through the secretary of state, hence it will not be necessary as the bill now reads, to sue the state or adjudicate the claim in court by permission of the legislature, as is the general rule.

Operation of the measure is extended to counties, districts, cities and townships as well as the state, and payment of claims is to be made by the subdivision employing the injured or killed. An officer or employee or their heirs may obtain not to exceed \$2,000, where in the discharge of their duty they meet death or sustain total disability, the loss of an arm, leg, the eyes or hearing. Should the employee be disabled so as prevented from performing the work for which they are qualified, such injury shall take the same pecuniary status as a death claim. If the injury is minor, but sufficient to justify a claim, the amount is to be scaled accordingly. No recovery will be permitted where the accident was result of gross carelessness or design of the injured person. Attorneys employed to handle the claims enumerated in the bill are limited to a fee of \$20.

Attorneys to Get Theirs.

Senator Stewart of Antlers has presented a bill in the senate which will insure attorneys their fees in damage or other suits where a clandestine adjustment is made between the plaintiff and the defendant. The bill provides that no defendant shall settle with any plaintiff without first notifying the attorney bringing the suit and paying to the latter his portion as the fee, providing it is known to the defendant or his attorney that the other attorney has a contract for a portion of the recovery in the suit. In event a settlement is made contrary to this rule, the defendant, in the bill, is liable to the injured attorney to the extent of the latter's fee. The bill reads: "If said attorney's contract was for 50 per cent of the recovery, the defendant shall pay the same amount to the plaintiff's attorney as is paid to the plaintiff."

The bill is offered as an emergency.

Clark on Roosevelt.

Washington, Feb. 13.—Whatever his virtues or his faults, the president is not a Democrat, declared Champ Clark of Missouri today, in the course of a characteristic speech in which he touched on the president's message and party policies.

Mr. Clark arraigned the republicans for their attitude on the tariff question and said that announcement that there would be a revision of the tariff after election was simply "in preparation of another stupendous confidence game on the people."

The house was swept by gales of applause and merriment. Mr. Clark's remarks were hailed with shouts of democratic applause and shrieks of laughter on both sides of the chamber. At times some of the democrats rose in their seats and wildly manifested their delight at his utterances. He took his seat amid a demonstration seldom witnessed on the floor of the house, and was accorded an ovation by democrats and republicans alike.

In Spectacular Fights.

In opening, Mr. Clark asserted that a reasonable view should be taken on matters touching the president, but that it had not been done, as a rule. "He is such a belligerent personage," he declared, "that his slightest word is a challenge to combat."

The president, he said, could not express his views upon any question and Joe, one who was a personal

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under heaven, "even upon a subject so prosaic and threadbare as the passing of the state of the weather," without precipitating a row, his extreme adherents swearing that there never had been "such a weather prophet on earth since Adam and Eve were driven with flaming swords from paradise and his extreme enemies vociferating that he knows no more about the weather than does a groundhog."

The president's whole public life, said Mr. Clark had been one long succession of spectacular fights. No man had been more viciously assailed by men of his own party, "and none was ever, while still in the flesh, so lavishly lauded by some of the opposing party."

Strengthened by Battles.

"But," he said, "the truth is that this extraordinary man has waxed stronger and stronger by waging his battles." Even defeat, he declared, had made him a larger and more commanding figure. "So," he said, "amid the swirl of things, the deluge of words, the shouting of the captains, the beating of tom-toms, the groans of crippled republicans, the yells of friend

friend of Theodore Roosevelt, the man but political opponent of Roosevelt, the politician or statesman, had "but little chance perhaps of being heard in this babel of voice."

Mr. Clark, however, insisted that he would have his way. He spoke of his personal liking for the president, and said that although, after the manner of strong men, the president had pronounced virtues and glaring faults of character, he had never abused him nor had he grown historical in admiration of him, but he had supported him when he was right and fought him "tooth and nail" when he was wrong. He believed that was the way the president wished to be treated.

"He must, indeed," said Mr. Clark, "entertain inaffable contempt for the invertebrate sycophants who grovel before him on all occasions and who, no matter what he does or says, throw their sweaty caps in the air and shout 'lo, triumphe, lo, triumphe.'"

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Ada Evening News.

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County Convention in Session.

As was appointed, the county convention of democrats assembled at the court house at 1:30 o'clock. On motion E. S. Kerr of Roff, was elected chairman and Wm. Felter of Francis, secretary. A motion unanimously prevailed that the temporary organization be made permanent.

A motion carried that all persons present representing the various precincts be recognized and seated. Judge Furman was called upon to address the convention. He responded in a brief address at which time he read a letter from Gov. Haskell requesting that the county convention of Pontotoc county not instruct for himself, (Haskell) as delegate at large.

On motion the chairman appointed the following as committee on delegation: Geo. Thompson, Ed Thompson, W. H. Hammond, Sam McClure and Byron Norrell.

A motion also prevailed that the chairman appoint a committee of five on resolutions. They were Otis Weaver, J. W. Vaden, J. K. Scroggins and R. L. Walker.

Recess of thirty minutes was allowed in order to give the committee an opportunity to prepare their reports.

At 3 p. m. the committee on delegation reported the following: To the County Convention of Pontotoc County:

We, your committee on delegation, recommend the following as your delegates to the state convention at Muskogee:

P. H. Deal, Sam McClure, E. S. Kerr, Clay Jones, Ed Thompson, D. C. Crabtree A. W. Cope, Ed Cotton, Wm. Felter, T. A. Holman, R. L. Walker, Dr. Truax, C. O. Barton, Duke Stone, R. O. Wheeler, Geo. Thompson, C. C. Hargis, J. W. Bolen, H. M. Furman, T. D. McKeown, Otis Weaver, I. M. King, B. Norrell, D. Ligon, W. C. Duncan, Jno. Crawford, E. H. Lucas, B. C. King, D. W. Huffar, W. H. Ebey, Robt. Wimbish, W. H. L. Campbell R. M. Roddie, Frank Huddleston, Jim Anderson, Tom Prim, E. S. Ratliff, Jap Copeland.

A motion by C. O. Barton carried that the unit rule govern in voting at the state convention.

The finished report of the committee on resolutions and the subsequent disposition of the convention came too late to publish the resolutions, as were finally passed, in this issue. A resolution of endorsement of Governor Haskell in particular and the State administration in general was filed with the committee on resolutions by Dr. M. W. Ligon and favorably reported out by them and unanimously adopted by the convention. The resolution of endorsement of the Hon. Tom D. McKeon as delegate to the national convention and the requirement that the delegates selected do all possible to secure his selection by the state convention carried unanimously. A general resolution of endorsement was had of the able services of Senators Gore and Owen and other members of the national congress. Especially were our national representatives commended for their earnest and capable services in behalf of the removal of restrictions. The resolution of endorsement of Hon. Wm. H. Murray and C. N. Haskell as delegates at large to the national convention reported favorably out of the committee room and to the convention by the chairman of the committee on resolutions was tabled.

Blizzard Prevails at Holdenville.

Holdenville, Ok., Feb. 14.—The worst blizzard in years prevails here tonight. The wind is blowing fifty miles an hour and the snow is blinding. The loss to range stock will be heavy.

EIGHT-INCH SNOW AT TULSA.

Worst Weather of Past Decade Prevails in That Part of Oklahoma. Tulsa, Ok., Feb. 14.—Eight inches of snow on the level has fallen today, this being the worst storm this section of the country has experienced in ten years. Telegraph and telephone wires are down and railroad traffic is crippled. Tonight the temperature is falling rapidly, promising bitter cold by morning and with it great suffering to tent dwellers and range cattle.

Season's First Snow at Lawton.

Lawton, Ok., Feb. 14.—The first real snow storm of the season to visit this vicinity started early this morning and lasted until 3 o'clock this afternoon. The flakes were large and fell fast, but because of the wet ground and a slight cold little of the snow remained late tonight. A high north wind accompanied the snow. Fruit is not far enough advanced to be injured by the cold.

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RESOLUTION TABLED.

The Following Resolution Offered by O. B. Weaver, Chairman Committee on Resolutions, Turned Down by Convention.

The political precepts in the more positive forces and far reaching effects in the nation today in fact and in spirit are more distinctly portrayed and more significantly exploited in the measures written in the constitution of the State of Oklahoma than elsewhere on earth. Students of the national trend and political attitude of affairs will award the correctness of this assertion. Of the two national political conventions which meet this summer to draft a platform of principles and select the party's standard bearers, in the common event of things, the one more nearly embodying the principles of kindred to the precepts obtaining in Oklahoma's constitution and more nearly selecting that man in sympathy with such provisions would be the party enthroned in power by the voice of the people of the nation. If the electorate of the nation untrammelled and afforded opportunity to employ their minds in dispassionate consideration of the problems of which the proper settlement concern most vitally their future welfare, it is a dead moral cliché that the foregoing conclusions are correct and sound. Bryan, the democratic and unsubsidized press of the United States, the democratic statesman in and out of congress with one accord acclaim the greatness of Oklahoma's charter of liberty—its constitution, and that the application of its basic principles, the privileges of the people to rule, should indelibly mark the policies formulated at the national democratic convention as will be conveyed to the people through the platform of the party. On account of Oklahoma's constitution and the capable administration of affairs of the state today, the great young commonwealth through its accredited delegations will appear giant-like at the national democratic convention at Denver this summer.

Therefore, Be it resolved, whereas, the Hon. Wm. H. Murray, the present speaker of Oklahoma House of Representatives, and the Hon. C. N. Haskell the governor of the State of Oklahoma were two of the principal constructors and defenders of Oklahoma's constitution and ensuing the time this state has been blessed to be governed under its provisions, they have as occupants of the two more important positions in the state distinguished themselves as true servants of the people, and,

Whereas, It has always been the custom in the various states of the union when delegates to the national convention should be selected, to select from among the men of affairs within the party as delegates at large those citizens of the state, if any, who had become national, political figures and were factors in the determination of those policies which should govern the party in the national party contests, and it generally occurring that it is necessary to select the delegates at large from among the leading official representatives of the state, for it is they who ordinary are naturally better acquainted with state craft and the general political exigencies, and it being the imperative duty of the people to send to the national conventions those citizens of the strongest political grasp and of proven loyalty to their cause, for a monumental responsibility involves on the delegates at a national democratic convention, since the permanent peace, prosperity and happiness of the people of a vast empire may be visibly dependent on the wisdom of their actions, and,

Whereas, in particular reference, The Hon. Wm. H. Murray is the resident of our neighbor county, and on account of his public acts, having gained favorable recognition the length and breadth of the county and within this state there having been implanted in the hearts of the honest yeomenry, ungoverned by political jealousies and contentions, a wholesome regard for him, based on their comprehension of his great and valuable attainments in their behalf and since it is from them that he must principally look for any particular recognition at this time, for he is giving the devoted employment of an intensely active mind to the important duties of the speakership of the Oklahoma house of representatives, and,

Whereas, there lives in Oklahoma another distinguished citizen, not of our constitution makers, but notably among its leading defenders, a man, than whom there are none more uni-

versally admired or held as being more distinguished in this state; for whom Pontotoc county excepts no man in the amount and quality of the award of profound respect and confidence; referring to the Hon. Lee Cruise, the man whose voice and influence have accomplished as much for democracy and the people as any other force with the confines of the state, and,

Whereas, It would be a natural and becoming action for this county democracy to help sustain and promote the enviable position Oklahoma now occupies in the regard of the democracy of the nation by recommending to the state convention that there should be selected among those at the head of the Oklahoma state delegation those men to whom is mainly due the distinction of establishing Oklahoma nationally so favorably and who on account of which could establish the delegation from this new state one of the more influential ones in the national convention.

Be it resolved by the democracy of Pontotoc county through its accredited representatives, regularly assembled in county convention that the honorable personages of C. N. Haskell, Wm. H. Murray and Lee Cruise be endorsed as delegates at large to the national democratic convention to be assembled at Denver the 7th day of July, 1908.

Respectfully submitted,

OTIS B. WEAVER, Chairman Com. on Resolutions.

OKLAHOMA LAWMAKERS

ADJOURN UNTIL MONDAY

Legislators Will Attend County Conventions of Today.

Guthrie, Ok., Feb. 14.—Oklahoma will not have a new civil and criminal code, according to the report of a committee made to the senate today. It recommends that the codes and the crimes act of the Territory of Oklahoma, so far as applicable to the changed conditions under the constitution, be left undisturbed, save where amended by the legislature. The committee recommends, however, that owing to the inapplicability of the present probate law and procedure to the constitution, and the expense it creates, that both be revised and reenacted.

The senate was in session all day. The morning was devoted to debating a question of changing the calendar and whether adjournment should be taken until Monday in order that senators could attend the county conventions held generally to morrow to name delegates to the state convention. Adjournment until Monday was taken.

Among the new bills was one by Senator Moore appropriating \$200,000 for per diem and contingent expenses of the legislature. The \$100,000 appropriated at the beginning of the session was exhausted today, save \$8, after the house members and the employees cashed their warrants. The senators did not get their pay.

Senator Stewart offered a bill for the creation of a Girls' Industrial school, framed after the Mississippi law, which is to be located the same as other institutions. It is understood that Hugo will apply for the school.

The house met this morning and adjourned until Monday.

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New York, Feb. 12.—The six automobiles contesting in the New York to Paris race started from Times square, forty-second street and Broadway, at 11:15 a. m. today, cheered by a throng of several thousand people. Accompanied by more than 200 motors of all descriptions the racing machines made their way up Broadway and Riverside Drive to the city limits, where they turned north on the road to Albany. From that city the route to San Francisco is the objective point of the first stage of the trip, lies across New York state to Buffalo, thence through Cleveland and Toledo to Chicago, to Omaha, Cheyenne, Ogden, Reno, Goldfield, San Luis Obispo and San Francisco. Mayor McClellan was to have given the word to start, but was delayed, and Coalgate Hoyt, of the automobile club of America, took his place.

A pistol shot sent the contestants away amid the cheering of the people and the hoarse hooting of hundreds of automobile horns.

The contesting cars are the queerest looking machines ever devised for motoring purposes. With their heavy equipment of stores and camp utensils, several of them were a modern representation of the old prairie schooner. One resembles a hook and ladder truck with long running boards on either side, equipped with axes, shovels, ropes and a dozen other articles. The clothing of the drivers varied from black to bear skins to a pure white fur outfit and head dress worn by a French team.

Three French cars, one German, one Italian and one American started in the race. Three men constituted the crews of the foreign machines but there were only two in the American car.

Estimates vary as to the length of time the race will require. From six to nine months, it is believed will be consumed.

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Notice of Sale.

By virtue of the authority vested in me under and pursuant of an order issued out of the County Court for the County of Carter, State of Oklahoma, sitting in probate; the said order of sale having been made on the 23d day of January, 1908, directing me as guardian of the estates of Samuel Hickman and Atchison Hickman, minors, to sell all of their right, title and interest in and to the following described lands, situate in Stephens County, State of Oklahoma, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit: The sw-4 of ne-4; w-2 of se-4 of ne-4, nw-4 of se-4; of se-4; w-2 of ne-4 of se-4; n-2 of sw-4 of se-4 and nw-4 of se-4 of se-4. And s-2 of nw-4 of nw-4; n-2 of sw-4 of nw-4; sw-4 of ne-4 of nw-4 and nw-4 of se-4 of nw-4 all in Section 25, T 1 S, R 5 W, situate in Stephens county, Oklahoma, consisting of 210 acres more or less.

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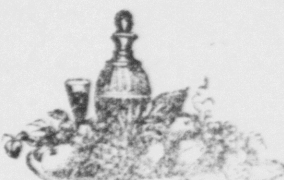
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PERSONAL COLUMN

Gibson's Crystal Oil is safest.

Attorney Anderson of Roff is here today.

Suits \$15 and up. Berry's Tailor Shop.

Dr. Bartley returned from McAlester Friday afternoon.

Phone No. 10. Will send it to you. J. E. Jones Drug Co.

A. M. McCoy returned to Stonewall this morning.

Take your prescriptions to Jones. He pays the freight.

Idus Harris went to Stonewall this morning.

Crystal Ice and Coal Co. will now deliver coal at \$6.00 per ton. Phone 122.

Miss Pearl Hicks came over from Roff this morning.

Crystal Ice and Coal Co. will now deliver coal at \$6.00 per ton. Phone 122.

J. W. Jones returned from Tupelo Friday afternoon.

No excuse for you not having your clothes pressed for \$1.00 per month. B. C. Berry.

J. W. Hays and Tom Hope returned from Oklahoma City today.

Join pressing club \$1.00 per month. B. C. Berry, rear Crowder's Barber shop.

W. L. Reed returned from Oklahoma City this morning.

Big line of ladies' shirtwaists and skirts, just received. 274-tf COX-GREER-McDONALD CO.

J. C. Cates went to Stonewall this morning.

FOR RENT—The rear of my store building 24x60 feet. LEE SMITH, West Main St. dtf.

Miss Pearl Schwartz of Purcell is the guest of Miss Rosa Tobias.

T. B. Kite & Sons baggage, buss and transfer meet all trains day and night. Phone 31.

Mrs. Geo. Watts and Miss Ollie Lee of Sasawka are the guest of Miss Ada Warren.

L. T. Walters will frame your pictures nicely. No. 117 South Broadway.

Mrs. Geo. Frierson left this morning a visit with her parents at Gainesville, Texas.

Shipment—HAWES—stiff hats just in. They come in black and brown. 274-tf COX-GREER-McDONALD CO.

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THE BEST
3.50
SHOES
ON EARTH
CHAPMAN
The Shoe Man

Mrs. W. G. Broadfoot and children went to Stonewall this morning for a few days visit.

Big line of ladies' shirtwaists and skirts just received. 247-tf COX-GREER-McDONALD CO.

Mrs. M. M. Sanders left this morning for a weeks visit with relatives at Okemah.

A group of photographs matted in one frame looks elegant. Try it. See L. T. Walters. He knows how to fix them.

Miss McClendon left Friday evening for Greenville, Tex., for a few days visit with home folks.

LOST—A bunch of keys, somewhere between 17th street and Townsend and Main, or west of 12th street. Under please return to Telephone office and receive reward. d-tf. H. W. PARKHURST.

W. C. Rae, Oscar Collins, C. F. Russell and Ed. Bunyard who have been attending court returned to Roff this morning.

A new shipment of picture moulding just arrived at L. T. Walters.

Miss Francis Gowdy left this morning for Pauls Valley where she will transfer the records for Sulphur Abstract and Title Co. of Murray county.

FOR RENT—A single room over J. E. Jones Drug Store, \$6.00 per month. Apply to E. L. Steed.

Mrs. D. M. Woodard of the Sulphur Abstract and Title Co., who has been here several days transferring the records for Murray county returned to her home at Sulphur this morning.

A new line of veiling just arrived at the Grand Leader. Do not delay your purchase for it. It will not last long. See our new line of shirts too.

GRAND LEADER.

Mrs. Zella Brass of Roff is in Ada today. Mrs. Brass is a noted vocalist, and one evening next week will give a musicale under the auspices of the home mission.

Miss Virgie Parker who has been visiting relatives at Wynnewood, returned home this afternoon.

Misses Essie Russell and Art Adair went to Wetumka this afternoon for a visit over Sunday with friends.

Mrs. Cash Wantland of Purcell spent the day in Ada Thursday visiting the family of Prof. W. A. Allen.

Walter Daggs is all smiles today on account of the valentine which he received last evening. A ten pound boy.

Mrs. J. B. Redman who has been the guest of Mrs. and Miss Haynes for the past few days returned to her home in Holdenville today.

Mrs. Tennie Munday of Stonewall is visiting Mrs. J. L. Foster. They were school mates eleven years ago, and had not seen each other in that length of time.

First Methodist Church.
Usual services at the Methodist church Sunday. There will be preaching in the morning by the pastor. All laymen are urged to be in the church parlors at 6:30 where there will be an important business meeting. Instead of the usual preaching service in the evening, the laymen and young people of the town will be addressed by Prof. Conder. This promises to be a very interesting and profitable service. Prof. Conder is a strong speaker and is particularly interested in the young people. T. L. RIPPEY, Pastor.

New Physician.
Dr. M. B. Bartley will open an office in this city next week over the First National bank. Dr. Bartley is an osteopathic physician, a graduate of the American school of osteopathy member of Oklahoma osteopathic association, holding certificates in the states of Missouri and Oklahoma.

Sunday at the Presbyterian.
Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Preaching morning and evening. Sunshine Society meets at 2 p. m. Christian Endeavor society at 3 p. m. Every body cordially invited. J. R. BROWNE, Pastor.

A tissue builder, flesh producer, brings health and happiness into the system. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea has done for millions. Twill do the same for you. 35c. Tea or Tablets. Sold by G. M. Ramsey.

A NEW RAILROAD

THE ST. LOUIS, SPRINGFIELD AND WESTER ITS NAME.

FROM SALISAW TO LAWTON

Ada and McAlester Main Points on the New Route—Oklahoma Central News.

Guthrie, Ok., Feb. 13.—A proposed road to run from Salisaw to Lawton through McAlester and Ada is being promoted by William Cullen and Samuel Wandell of New York, representing Eastern capital. Both Ada and McAlester are considering the proposition of offering bonuses. The road is known as the St. Louis, Springfield & Western and was chartered six months ago by A. D. Goodenough. The road will traverse the Choctaw and Chickasaw nations and will offer a direct route to the coal fields.

Surveyors for the proposed Kansas & Texas line were at Guyton recently. Several towns in Western Oklahoma and the Panhandle of Texas are taking up propositions offering bonuses and the road may be started within a few months.

The Rock Island has finally decided to go ahead with the building of the cut-off from Amarillo, Tex., to Tucumcari, N. M., which will shorten connection between Oklahoma points on the Rock Island line to Amarillo and the Pacific coast. Some forty teams are now engaged in preparing the road bed for the laying of steel. The engineering department of Vice-President Robbins's district is superintending the preliminary work, but it is said that no definite date has been fixed for the actual laying of steel. A part of the grading was done two years ago and in order to save the charter for the Tucumcari cut-off more than twenty miles of the line is required to be built before May 16, and the Rock Island evidently plans to save the charter at least.

Consolidation Denied.

The Oklahoma Central road has nearly completed its line from Purcell to Chickasha. The fact that the company is building a "Y" at Chickasha to connect with the track of the Rock Island has led to reports that the latter road will purchase the Oklahoma Central. These reports, however, are denied by both companies. The proposed route of the Oklahoma Central is from Atoka to Chickasha, through Ada and Purcell. It crosses the Eastern Rock Island from McAlester, a few miles south of Coalgate. The western terminus is at Chickasha on the Rock Island main line.

The Missouri, Kansas & Texas is planning extensive improvements to its roadbed between Oklahoma City and Atoka this spring. Engineers are now going over the line staking places where grades are to be reduced by cuts. A part of the roadbed has been ballasted with burnt clay and this will be continued until the entire line is thus ballasted with a view of establishing a faster schedule.

Booze at Roff.

Sheriff Tom Smith visited his old home Friday and besides mixing with old friends, nosed around until he found three pints of whiskey in the Rae drug store and later visiting the depot found about 1000 pounds whiskey addressed "shippers orders, notify the Owl Drug Co., and the Roff Drug Co. The latter company is the Rae place. Smith paid the freight on the goods and retaged it to himself at Ada. It will be deported in the "county dispensary."

Will Rae Guilty.

The jury in the case of Will Rae, charged with selling liquor, returned a verdict of guilty as charged this afternoon at 4 o'clock. This is the second verdict against Rae for unlawfully disposing of intoxicants in the last few days. Judge Terrell will pass sentence later.

Bob Walker and J. C. Andrews of Midland are here in the county convention today.

Wm. Carter, J. K. Scroggins, J. A. Smith, H. O. Southerland and Wm. Felter, are delegates to the county convention from Francis.

Those attending the convention from Roff today are J. W. Vaden, Joe Anderson, Sam McClure, J. L. Anderson, Clay Jones, A. B. McPherson and E. S. Kerr.

Memorial Services.

Th W. C. T. U. will observe Frances E. Willard memorial day Tuesday at 2:30, with Mrs. E. Brants. A good program with special music has been arranged and a pleasant evening is looked for. The public is invited to be present. An offering will be asked at the meeting.

Interest Paid on Time Deposits

The policy of the officers and directors of this Bank is to perpetuate its reputation for safety and conservatism, and to accept no proposition involving a risk in order to make an extensive showing. Their intention is to keep the Bank's funds invested in assets readily convertible into cash, and under no condition to undertake speculative ventures, never losing sight of the fact that they are the trustees of a sacred trust and should ever stand ready to give an account of their stewardship.

Citizens' National Bank

J. W. HAYS, PRESIDENT

SOCIETY COLUMN

The Home Mission society of the Methodist church will meet with Mrs. C. M. Chauncey on Monday. This is the meeting for election of officers, and all members are urged to be present.

The A. B. C. girls are arousing a great deal of curiosity among the young men as to the real name of their club. Some of the names suggested are "A. B. C. Class," "Ada Bread Winners' Club," "All Bachelors' Come," "Ada Biscuit Cutters" and "Ancient Beauty Club." All of which the girls deny as being anything near their real club.

Mrs. T. B. Harrell will serve tea at the Baptist Parsonage on Thursday afternoon from three to six, in the interest of the Ladies' Aid Society.

The Sorosis Club will meet with Mrs. C. W. McMillan on Friday afternoon at three o'clock.

The ladies of the Methodist church celebrated Valentine's day and the completion of the new parsonage last evening by a surprise and donation party, consisting of groceries, some individual gifts to Mr. and Mrs. Rippey and a set of new dining room chairs and three rockers for the parsonage. Though the weather was very inclement quite a nice crowd was present.

The Twentieth Century Club met on Thursday with Mrs. Tom Hope. On Tuesday the Club will have its regular meeting with Mrs. John Beard, when they will take up the first half of Milton's "L' Allegro."

Misses Edna Fulton and Beulah Stovall entertained the A. B. C. last Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. E. Billis. The game for the afternoon was progressive peanuts, which was quite unique in every detail.

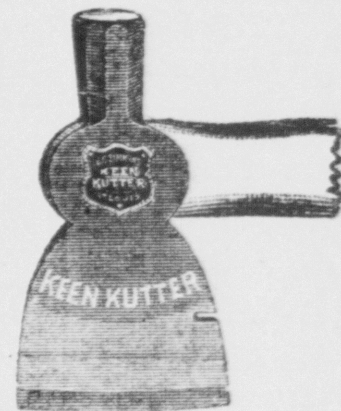
Next Saturday, Washington's birthday, the ladies of the Christian church will serve dinner in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Torbett entertained the Forty-two club last evening. The score cards were red hearts fastened to the back of each was a small pin cushion, at each progression the ladies received a needle and the men a pin. A chafing supper was served in dining room, consisting of Welsh rarebit, cheese straws, salted almonds, and tongue sandwiches cut in heart shape.

Quite the jolliest party of the "glad new year" was given by the A. B. C. girls at the home of Miss Bess Katz on Valentine's eve. It was strictly a "heart affair" in leap year, which gave the young ladies an opportunity to propose and select their own partners for the different games. The house was most appropriately decorated in hearts, red ribbons and lanterns. The young ladies masked and called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomson, where they found the young men, most of whom were becomingly (?) dressed as a baseball team, with knickerbockers, white shirt waists and skull caps. The evening was one continuous round of merriment from the time the young men attempted to find their partners from a long row of masked young ladies, till the clock struck twelve and with bow and arrow they were shooting hearts, on which was the name of the young lady whom they were to take home, and it is rumored that some of the young men used strategic methods to obtain certain names. In the receiving line were Misses Katz, Stovall, Torbett, Haynes, White, Misses Taylor, Gwinn, Thompson and Warren, were on the entertainment committee. Misses Harrell, Timberlake Simms and Fulton, composed the refreshment committee, Misses Wilson, Eula Claire Sims, Haynes, Smith and

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OKLAHOMA COMMERCIAL COLLEGE ESTABLISHED IN ADA.

MEN OF EXPERIENCE

Business Men of City Give Endorsement to Enterprise.

A. L. Fentem and T. B. Liner of Stonewall and F. L. Norton of Roff, are in Ada today and have determined to establish in this city a well equipped commercial school. These gentlemen come to Ada not strangers, for they are well known by many citizens of the town and they possess the good will and unqualified endorsement of the commercial and social interests of Ada. Prof. Fentem and Liner have been conducting successfully a commercial school at Stonewall and their equipment which is extensive will be removed to this city at once. Prof. Norton will have active supervision of the institution. Prof. Liner will be engaged as instructor in the commercial department and Prof. Fentem will spend his time in the field soliciting.

They have the support and confidence of Ada and Ada people.

SERIOUSLY HURT.

Geo. Cotrell Has Narrow Escape at Oil Mill.

Friday night at 9 o'clock Geo. Cotrell an employee at the oil mill was seriously injured. While repairing a belt he was caught on a line shaft and before he could be liberated his clothes were torn from his body and his right side painfully lacerated. The surgeons announce that his wound being very serious, is not at all dangerous.

The injured man is 30 years of age and single. He is confined at his room in the Mallicoat hotel.

Smallpox.

Will Emmerson, col., who is confined in the county jail has the smallpox.

Grippe is sweeping the country. Stop it with Preventives, before it gets deeply seated. To check early colds with these Little Candy Cold Cure Tablets is surely sensible and safe. Preventives contain no Quinine, no laxative, nothing harsh or sickening. Pneumonia would never appear if early colds were promptly broken. Also good for feverish children. Large box, 48 tablets, 25 cents. Vest pocket boxes, 5c. Sold by G. M. Ramsey.

FOR RENT—6 very desirable lots in Daggs addition under good fence. R. O. Wheeler. 3td

The Ada News' Subscription Contest--Biggest Thing Ever Pulled Off in Pontotoc Co.

The News Editors and Proprietors have been unable to push the big subscription contest until now. Following this issue of the News, one of the News Editors will devote practically his entire time looking after the interests of the contest. It is true more than one thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars in actual values will be given away.



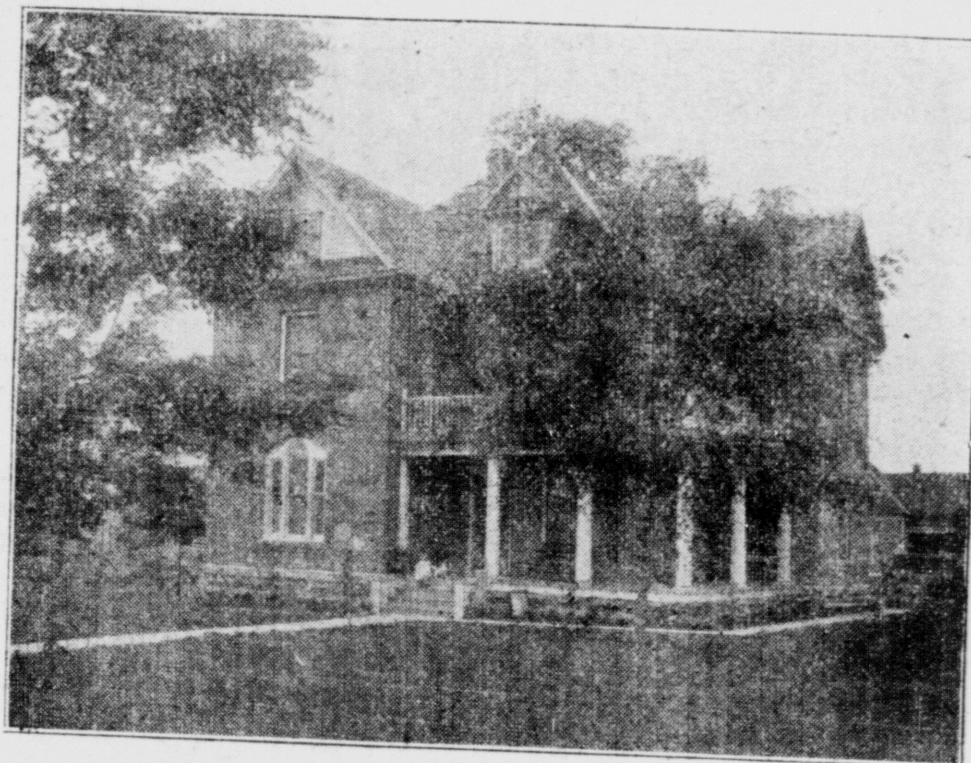
Residence Property Henry M. Furman, Situated 240 ft. News Lot.

SPECIAL PREMIUMS

The News has decided to give away as a special premium a standard make, best quality, \$25.00 cash price, J. I. Case Cultivator, sold by the popular Ada Hardware Co., of which Messrs. Broadfoot and McKendree are proprietors. See complete description on another page. This premium will be delivered free to the subscription contestant who is in the lead March the 19th, as will be shown in the columns of the News on that day. This is the first special pre-

THE FIRST PREMIUM TO MOST POPULAR LADY A PIANO

The first premium to the most popular lady will be a Standard Brand, Finely Finished, Mellow Toned Upright Piano, worth \$500.00 and guaranteed for ten years by the manufacturers and their retail merchants, The Mathews Music Company, Pontotoc County's most responsible music house.



Residence Property of Tom Hope, Situated One Block News Lot.



Residence Property of J. E. Miles, Situated One Block News Lot.

mium. 30 days later as a special premium the News will give away a standard make, new out and out wagon. See picture of wagon in next issue of this paper. There will be other special premiums closely following. Don't forget big premiums at end of contest--Fine Piano, Valuable Real Estate, Life Scholarship in Leading Business College.

Call at The News Office for Further Information.



Residence Property T. J. Chambless, Situated 20 ft. News Lot.

THE SECOND PREMIUM To The Second Most Popular Lady Or Most Popular Gentleman Is a Valuable Dwelling House Lot

There is not a more desirable or beautiful lot in Ada. Situated in popular Sunrise Addition, within four blocks of the business district of the city, in the midst of more than \$30,000 valuable improved property, it is easily worth more than other lots in this city which have sold for six or seven hundred dollars.

The public is invited to view the pictures of the beautiful homes in Sunrise Addition, all of which are situated within one block of this pretty lot to be given away. Practical proof is supplied that the lot is as desirable and valuable as any in the city.



Residence Property of A. M. Croxton, Situated 100 ft. News Lot.

It is a straight proposition of giving away more than \$1,000.00 to our friends who will help us get The News on a cash-in-advance basis

County Commissioners in Session.
Ada, Oklahoma, Feb. 10, 1908, 10 a. m.
The board of county commissioners met at the office of the county clerk pursuant to the call of the county clerk, all members being present and transacted the following business:
Joseph Anderson was appointed trustee and assessor of Roff township. E. Burleson was appointed constable of Maxwell township.
A. W. Baugh, justice of the peace of Francis township, bond \$1000. E. Burleson, constable of Maxwell township, bond \$1000.
The appointment of E. D. Hinkle as clerk of Maxwell township was ratified by the court. His bond for \$200.00 was also re-approved.
The bonds of the following township officers were approved:
Joseph Anderson trustee of Roff township bond, \$500.00.
Joseph Anderson assessor of Roff township bond, \$500.00.
A. W. Baugh constable of Maxwell township bond, \$1000.00.
The following claims were allowed upon the court fund:
65--B. F. Peck, services as grand juror and mileage, \$3.00.
66--J. F. Rodgers, services as grand juror and mileage, \$4.00.
67--Jeff Jennings, services as petit juror and mileage, \$3.50.
68--J. F. Jackson, services as petit juror, \$2.00.
69--M. B. Douaghey, services as petit juror, \$2.00.
70--John Rawls, services as petit juror, \$2.00.
71--Joe Deckert, services as petit juror, \$2.00.
72--R. O. Wheeler, services as petit juror, \$2.00.
73--Geo. High, services as petit juror, \$2.00.
74--R. A. Owens, services as petit juror, \$2.00.
75--Sam Boyd, services as grand juror and mileage, \$17.00.
76--E. T. Norville, services as grand juror and mileage, \$17.20.
77--J. J. McLeod, services as grand juror and mileage, \$17.50.
78--L. F. Cooper, services as grand juror and mileage, \$17.50.
79--W. S. Bray, services as petit juror and mileage, \$22.00.
80--C. E. Lackey, services as petit juror and mileage, \$24.40.
81--J. R. Renison, services as petit juror and mileage, \$23.20.
82--J. J. Burton, services as petit juror and mileage, \$20.70.
83--Arthur Cox, services as petit juror and mileage, \$20.60.
84--Dick Jones, services as petit juror and mileage, \$27.10.
85--John Murrell, services as petit juror and mileage, \$29.50.
86--E. M. May, services as petit juror and mileage, \$3.00.
87--J. F. Baugh, services as petit juror and mileage, \$3.00.
88--G. Duncan, services as petit juror and mileage, \$3.00.
89--Dave Patterson, services as petit juror and mileage, \$3.10.
90--M. M. Tully, services as petit juror and mileage, \$3.00.
91--N. A. Hoover, services as petit juror and mileage, \$3.00.
92--J. W. Craddock, services as petit juror and mileage, \$3.00.
93--J. H. Cronister, services as petit juror and mileage, \$3.00.
94--W. A. Henson, services as petit juror and mileage, \$3.00.
95--J. K. Scroggin, services as petit juror and mileage, \$9.00.
96--I. L. Prim, services as petit juror and mileage, \$3.00.
97--J. C. Williams, services as petit juror and mileage, \$3.20.
98--J. C. Rushing, services as petit juror and mileage, \$3.00.
99--H. E. Thacker, services as petit juror and mileage, \$3.00.
100--L. C. Oliver, services as petit juror and mileage, \$3.00.
101--Isaac Rains, services as petit juror and mileage, \$v.20.
102--W. H. Howard, services as petit juror and mileage, \$2.00.
103--Dennis Smith, services as petit juror and mileage, \$2.00.
104--W. T. George, services as petit juror and mileage, \$3.00.
105--D. M. Polk, services as petit juror and mileage, \$3.00.
106--S. L. Jenkins, services as petit juror and mileage, \$4.00.
107--E. H. Denton, services as petit juror and mileage, \$5.20.
108--H. C. Pearson, services as petit juror and mileage, \$4.00.
109--W. P. Abbott, services as petit juror and mileage, \$3.00.

110--P. L. Bowerman, services as petit juror and mileage, \$5.20.
111--Grant Scroggins, services as petit juror and mileage, \$5.00.
112--M. C. B. Coffee, services as petit juror and mileage, \$5.00.
113--F. W. Bradshaw, services as petit juror and mileage, \$5.00.
114--G. C. Cain, services as petit juror and mileage, \$5.00.
115--A. N. Davis, services as petit juror and mileage, \$30.40.
116--J. A. McDonald, services as petit juror and mileage, \$31.00.
117--A. A. Bobbitt, services as petit juror and mileage, \$26.00.
118--W. M. Edmiston, services as petit juror and mileage, \$32.00.
119--R. O. Lawrence, services as petit juror and mileage, \$32.00.
120--U. N. Bookout, services as petit juror and mileage, \$11.50.
121--C. D. Brannon, services as petit juror and mileage, \$11.50.
122--Tobe Henegan, services as petit juror and mileage, \$11.50.
123--T. N. Devers, services as petit juror and mileage, \$33.00.
124--D. R. Bradshaw, services as petit juror and mileage, \$11.50.
125--M. F. Dew, services as petit juror and mileage, \$10.60.
126--A. J. Cummings, services as petit juror and mileage, \$12.00.
127--Tom Lancaster, services as petit juror and mileage, \$32.00.
128--J. F. Harris, services as petit juror and mileage, \$32.00.
129--T. Self, services as petit juror and mileage, \$33.00.
130--E. D. Elliott, services as petit juror, \$2.00.
131--R. B. Brundige, services as petit juror, \$2.00.
132--F. C. Kreiger, services as petit juror, \$2.00.
133--C. E. Swor, services as petit juror and mileage, \$11.60.
134--J. N. Lillard, services as petit juror and mileage, \$10.90.
135--Sim McCall, services as petit juror and mileage, \$11.80.
136--W. T. Shockley, services as petit juror and mileage, \$10.60.
137--J. Boone, services as petit juror and mileage, \$33.00.
138--J. K. Strickland, services as petit juror and mileage, \$33.80.

Certificates of insurance, signed by Lieut. Gov. Bellamy, chairman of the board, will be mailed as soon as the banking commission approves the examinations made in compliance with the law. Certificates No. 1 will go to the Guthrie National bank, which is the first national bank to accept the terms of the state law and have its depositors insured.

A WOMAN'S APPEAL

To all knowing sufferers of rheumatism, whether muscular or of the joints, sciatica, lumbagos, backache, pains in the kidneys or neuralgia pains, to write to her for a home treatment which has repeatedly cured all of these tortures. She feels it her duty to send it to all sufferers FREE. You cure yourself at home a thousands will testify--no change of climate being necessary. This simple discovery banishes uric acid from the blood, loosens the stiffened joints, purifies the blood, and brightens the eyes, giving elasticity and tone to the whole system. If the above interests you, for proof address Mrs. M. Summers, Box R, South Bend, Ind.

No flower could at all compare, With this pretty lass so young and fair; Her step is light, her heart is free, Since taking Rocky Mountain Tea. Sold by G. M. Ramsey.

Stop That Cold

To check early colds or Grippe with "Preventics" means sure relief for Freeholders. To stop a cold with Preventics is easier than to let it run and be obliged to cure it afterwards. To be sure, Preventics will cure even a deeply seated cold, but taken early--at the first stage--they break up colds and prevent them from becoming serious. Preventics are little Candy Cold Cures. They are no phony, nothing sticky. They are for the children--and thoroughly safe too. If you are chilly, if you sneeze, if you take all over, think of Preventics. Preventics may also cure colds, sore throats, and don't forget your child. There is a free literature, right away. Send your name to the publisher, please, about 20 boxes of Preventics. Look on your drugstore giving you

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G. M. RAMSEY.

I wish that I might talk with all sick ones about the actual cause of Stomach, Heart and Kidney ailments. To explain in person how weak stomach nerves leads to Stomach weakness. I am sure would interest all. And it is the same with weak Hearts or weak kidneys. This is why my prescription--Dr. Shoop's Restorative--so promptly reaches ailments of the Stomach, Heart and Kidney. It is wrong to drug the Stomach or stimulate the Heart or Kidneys. These weak inside nerves simply need more strength. My restorative is the only prescription made expressly for these nerves. Next to seeing you personally will be to mail you free, my new book let entitled "What To Do." I will also send samples of my Restorative as well. Write for the book today. It will surely interest you. Address Dr. Shoop, Box 8, Racine, Wis. Sold by G. M. Ramsey.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure, FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

(Seal) A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

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Many Boats Put Out to Meet the Vessels, and Shows Present Amused Scene.

Valparaiso, Feb. 14.—The fleet of the United States Navy, consisting of the battleships, cruisers, destroyers, and other vessels, passed through the narrows of Valparaiso Bay this morning. The scene was one of the most magnificent ever witnessed in this city. The fleet, which included the battleships, cruisers, destroyers, and other vessels, was met by a large number of boats from the city. The scene was one of the most magnificent ever witnessed in this city. The fleet, which included the battleships, cruisers, destroyers, and other vessels, was met by a large number of boats from the city. The scene was one of the most magnificent ever witnessed in this city.

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The converted cruiser Yankton came in here several hours ahead of the warships.

President Montt and other high officials of the Republic came out from shore to greet the battleships, and almost the entire Chilean navy exchanged salutes with them as they swung around Coronado Point and into Valparaiso Bay in single file headed by the Chilean cruiser Chacabuco and five Chilean torpedo boat destroyers.

President Montt and other Chilean officials embarked on the training ship Gen. Baquedano and took a position well out in the harbor. Around the Baquedano the fleet swung around at a speed of four knots, firing the Presidential salute as they passed in review. It was one hour from the time the head of the fleet entered the bay until the last vessel had passed the President's ship and toward the open sea. Then the Baquedano lifted anchor and escorted the fleet well out of the bay and on its way to the north. It was a view such as has never before been seen in Valparaiso Bay and one that will long be remembered by the people of Chile who came miles to see it.

In the city of Valparaiso tonight celebrations of every kind are in progress and everywhere may be heard words of praise to Admiral Evans, on having honored Valparaiso with a visit.

The enthusiasm of the Chileans was almost boundless. In the saluting 1200 shots were fired.

Colder at Caddo, Okla.

Caddo, Ok. Feb. 14.—It has been raining here for the past four or five days and the ground is well soaked and seasonable after about five weeks drouth. It is much colder today.

Twenty-Degree Drop at Ardmore.

Ardmore, Ok. Feb. 14.—The temperature dropped twenty degrees this afternoon. Light flurries of snow fell.

B. Y. P. U. Program.

Subject: Great Chapters. Scripture Reading: 1st John 1:1-10. Leader: Miss Ruth Taylor. Paper on Asia Minor: Mr. Carlton Weaver.

Repeat 1st John 2:1-2—Miss Vera Giles. Paper on the Apostle John—By Pastor.

Union meets at 8:45 p. m. Every one cordially invited to attend.

NEW BILLS

PAYMENT ON DAMAGES TO PROPERTY PROPOSED IN THE HOUSE

WOULD FIX LIABILITY OF STATE

Measures Makes Settlement by Executive Appropriation Mandatory, on Submission by Officials

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Attorneys to Get Theirs.

Senator Stewart of Antlers has presented a bill in the senate which will insure attorneys their fees in damage or other suits where a finding of fact is made between the plaintiff and the defendant. The bill provides that no defendant shall settle with any plaintiff without first notifying the attorney bringing the suit and paying to the latter his portion of the fee. The bill, which is known to the defendant or his attorney that the other attorney has a contract for a portion of the recovery in the suit. In event a settlement is made contrary to this rule, the defendant in the bill is liable to the injured attorney to the extent of the latter's fee. The bill reads: If said attorney's contract was for 75 per cent of the recovery, the defendant shall pay the same amount to the plaintiff's attorney as is paid to the plaintiff.

The bill is offered in an emergency.

Clark on Roosevelt.

Washington, Feb. 14.—Whatever his virtues or his faults the president is not a Democrat, declared Champ Clark of Missouri today in the course of a characteristic speech in which he touched on the president's message and party policies.

Mr. Clark arranged the republicans for their attitude on the tariff question and said that announcement that there would be a revision of the tariff after election was simply in preparation of another stupendous confidence game on the people.

The house was swept by gales of applause and merriment. Mr. Clark's remarks were hailed with shouts of democratic applause and shrieks of laughter on both sides of the chamber. At times some of the democrats rose in their seats and wildly manifested their delight at his utterances. He took his seat amid a demonstration seldom witnessed on the floor of the house and was accorded an ovation by democrats and republicans alike.

In Spectacular Fights.

In opening Mr. Clark asserted that a reasonable view should be taken on matters touching the president, but that it had not been done, as a rule. He is such a belligerent personage, he declared, "that his slightest word is a challenge to combat."

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and a heaven even upon a subject so prosaic and threadbare as the passing of the state of the weather without precipitating a row, his extreme adherents swearing that there never had been such a weather prophet on earth since Adam and Eve were driven with flaming swords from paradise, and his extreme enemies vociferating that he knows no more about the weather than does a groundhog.

The president's whole public life said Mr. Clark had been one long succession of spectacular fights. No man had been more viciously assailed by men of his own party and none was ever while still in the flesh so lavishly lauded by some of the opposing parties.

Strengthened by Battles. But he said the truth is that this extraordinary man has waxed stronger and stronger by waging his battles. Even defeat, he declared, had made him a larger and more commanding figure. So he said, amid the swirl of things the deluge of words, the shouting of the captains, the beating of the drums, the groans of the wounded, the yells of the victors, and the howls of the vanquished, one who was a person.

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Business of thirty minutes was allowed in order to give the committee an opportunity to prepare their reports.

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A motion by C. O. Barton carried that the unit rule govern in voting at the state convention.

The finished report of the committee on resolutions and the subsequent disposition of the convention came too late to publish the resolutions, as were finally passed, in this issue. A resolution of endorsement of Governor Haskell in particular and the State administration in general was filed with the committee on resolutions by Dr. M. W. Ligon and favorably reported out by them and unanimously adopted by the convention. The resolution of endorsement of the Hon. Tom D. McKeown as delegate to the national convention and the requirement that the delegates selected do all possible to secure his selection by the state convention carried unanimously. A general resolution of endorsement was, had of the able services of Senators Gore and Owen and other members of the national congress. Especially were our national representatives commended for their earnest and capable services in behalf of the removal of restrictions. The resolution of endorsement of Hon. Wm. H. Murray and C. N. Haskell as delegates at large to the national convention reported favorably out of the committee room and to the convention by the chairman of the committee on resolutions was tabled.

Blizzard Prevails at Holdenville.
Holdenville, Ok., Feb. 14.—The worst blizzard in years prevails here tonight. The wind is blowing fifty miles an hour and the snow is blinding. The loss to range stock will be heavy.

EIGHT-INCH SNOW AT TULSA.

Worst Weather of Past Decade Prevails in That Part of Oklahoma.
Tulsa, Ok., Feb. 14.—Eight inches of snow on the level has fallen today, this being the worst storm this section of the country has experienced in ten years. Telegraph and telephone wires are down and railroad traffic is crippled. Tonight the temperature is falling rapidly, promising bitter cold by morning and with it great suffering to tent dwellers and range cattle.

Season's First Snow at Lawton.
Lawton, Ok., Feb. 14.—The first real snow storm of the season to visit this vicinity started early this morning and lasted until 3 o'clock this afternoon. The flakes were large and fell fast, but because of the wet ground and a slight cold little of the snow remained late tonight. A high north wind accompanied the snow. Fruit is not far enough advanced to be injured by the cold.

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RESOLUTION TABLED

The Following Resolution Offered by O. B. Weaver, Chairman Committee on Resolutions, Turned Down by Convention.

The political events in the more positive forces and far reaching effects in the nation today in fact and in spirit are more distinctly portrayed and more significantly exploited in the measures written in the constitution of the State of Oklahoma than elsewhere on earth. Students of the national trend and political attitude of affairs will award the correctness of this assertion. Of the two national political conventions which meet this summer to draft a platform of principles and select the party's standard bearers, in the common event of things the one more nearly embodying the principles of kindred to the precepts obtaining in Oklahoma's constitution and more nearly selecting that man in sympathy with such provisions would be the party enthroned in power by the voice of the people of the nation. If the electorate of the nation untrammelled and afforded opportunity to employ their minds in dispassionate consideration of the problems of which the proper settlement concern most vitally their future welfare, it is a fair and natural conclusion that the foregoing conclusions are correct and sound. Bryan the democrat and unsanitized press of the United States, the democratic statesman in and out of congress with one accord acclaim the greatness of Oklahoma's charter of liberty and constitution, and that the application of its basic principles, the privileges of the people to rule, should indelibly mark the policies formulated at the national democratic convention as will be conveyed to the people through the platform of the party. On account of Oklahoma's constitution and the capable administration of affairs of the state today, the great young commonwealth through its accredited delegations will appear giant-like at the national democratic convention at Denver this summer.

Therefore, Be it resolved, whereas, the Hon. Wm. H. Murray, the present speaker of Oklahoma House of Representatives, and the Hon. C. N. Haskell the governor of the State of Oklahoma were two of the principal constructors and defenders of Oklahoma's constitution and ensuring the time this state has been blessed to be governed under its provisions, they have as occupants of the two more important positions in the state distinguished themselves as true servants of the people, and,

Whereas, it has always been the custom in the various states of the union when delegates to the national convention should be selected, to select from among the men of affairs within the party as delegates at large those citizens of the state, if any, who had become national political figures and were factors in the determination of those policies which should govern the party in the national party contests, and it generally occurring that it is necessary to select the delegates at large from among the leading official representatives of the state, for it is they who ordinary are naturally better acquainted with statecraft and the general political exigencies, and it being the imperative duty of the people to send to the national conventions those citizens of the strongest political grasp and of proven loyalty to their cause, for a monumental responsibility involves on the delegates at a national democratic convention, since the permanent peace, prosperity and happiness of the people of a vast empire may be visibly dependent on the wisdom of their actions, and,

Whereas, in particular reference, The Hon. Wm. H. Murray is the resident of our neighbor county, and on account of his public acts, having gained favorable recognition the length and breadth of the county and within this state there having been implanted in the hearts of the honest yeomenry, ungoverned by political jealousies and contentions, a wholesome regard for him, based on their comprehension of his great and valuable attainments in their behalf and since it is from them that he must principally look for any particular recognition at this time, for he is giving the devoted employment of an intensely active mind to the important duties of the speakership of the Oklahoma house of representatives, and,

Whereas, there lives in Oklahoma another distinguished citizen, not of our constitution makers, but notably among its leading defenders, a man, than whom there are none more uni-

versally admired or held as being more distinguished in this state, for whom Pontotoc county excepts no man in the amount and quality of the award of profound respect and confidence; referring to the Hon. Lee Cruise, the man whose voice and influence have accomplished as much for democracy and the people as any other force with the confines of the state, and,

Whereas, it would be a natural and becoming action for this county democracy to help sustain and promote the enviable position Oklahoma now occupies in the regard of the democracy of the nation by recommending to the state convention that there should be selected among those at the head of the Oklahoma state delegation those men to whom is mainly due the distinction of establishing Oklahoma nationally so favorably and who on account of which could establish the delegation from this new state one of the more influential ones in the national convention.

Be it resolved by the democracy of Pontotoc county through its accredited representatives regularly assembled in county convention that the honorable personages of C. N. Haskell, Wm. H. Murray and Lee Cruise be endorsed as delegates at large to the national democratic convention to be assembled at Denver the 15th day of July, 1908.

Respectfully submitted OTIS B. WEAVER Chairman Com. on Resolutions.

OKLAHOMA LAWMAKERS ADJOURN UNTIL MONDAY

Legislators Will Attend County Conventions of Today.

Guthrie, Ok., Feb. 14.—Oklahoma will not have a new civil and criminal code, according to the report of a committee made to the senate today. It recommends that the codes and the crimes act of the Territory of Oklahoma, so far as applicable to the changed conditions under the constitution, be left undisturbed, save where amended by the legislature. The committee recommends, however, that owing to the inapplicability of the present probate law and procedure to the constitution, and the expense it creates, that both be revised and re-enacted.

The senate was in session all day. The morning was devoted to debating a question of changing the calendar and whether adjournment should be taken until Monday in order that senators could attend the county conventions held generally to morrow to name delegates to the state convention. Adjournment until Monday was taken.

Among the new bills was one by Senator Moore appropriating \$200,000 for per diem and contingent expenses of the legislature. The \$100,000 appropriated at the beginning of the session was exhausted today, save \$8, after the house members and the employees cashed their warrants. The senators did not get their pay.

Senator Stewart offered a bill for the creation of a Girls' Industrial school, framed after the Mississippi law, which is to be located the same as other institutions. It is understood that Hugo will apply for the school.

The house met this morning and adjourned until Monday.

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New York, Feb. 12.—The six automobiles contesting in the New York to Paris race started from Times square, forty-second street and Broadway, at 11:15 a. m. today, cheered by a throng of several thousand people. Accompanied by more than 200 moters of all descriptions the racing machines made their way up Broadway and Riverside Drive to the city limits, where they turned north on the road to Albany. From that city the route to San Francisco is the objective point of the first stage of the trip, lies across New York state to Buffalo, thence through Cleveland and Toledo to Chicago, to Omaha, Claymore, Ogden, Reno, Goldfield, San Luis Obispo and San Francisco. Mayor McClellan was to have given the word to start, but was delayed, and Coalgate Hoyt, of the automobile club of America, took his place.

A pistol shot sent the contestants away amid the cheering of the people and the hoarse hooting of hundreds of automobile horns.

The contesting cars are the queerest looking machines ever devised for motoring purposes. With their heavy equipment of stores and camp utensils, several of them were a modern representation of the old prairie schooner. One resembles a hook and ladder truck with long running boards on either side, equipped with axes, shovels, ropes and a dozen other articles. The clothing of the drivers varied from black to bear skins to a pure white fur outfit and head dress worn by a French team.

Three French cars, one German, one Italian and one American started in the race. Three men constituted the crews of the foreign machines but there were only two in the American car.

Estimates vary as to the length of time the race will require. From six to nine months, it is believed will be consumed.

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Says Snow Will Aid Wheat.

Oklahoma City, Ok., Feb. 14.—A blinding snowstorm raged in this city from 8 o'clock this morning until this evening. Moderate temperature caused the snow to melt rapidly, and traffic was not interrupted. Secretary Topplug of the Oklahoma Millers' Association says it will result in a vast amount of good to wheat.

First published Jan. 25th, 1908. (10) Notice of Sale.

By virtue of the authority vested in me under and pursuant of an order issued out of the County Court for the County of Carter, State of Oklahoma, sitting in probate; the said order of sale having been made on the 23d day of January, 1908, directing me as guardian of the estates of Samuel Hickman and Atchison Hickman, minors, to sell all of their right, title and interest in and to the following described lands, situate in Stephens County, State of Oklahoma, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit: The sw-4 of se-4; w-2 of se-4 of ne-4, nw-4 of se-4; of se-4; w-2 of ne-4 of se-4; n-2 of sw-4 of se-4 and nw-4 of se-4 of se-4. And s-2 of nw-4 of nw-4; n-2 of sw-4 of nw-4; sw-4 of ne-4 of nw-4 and nw-4 of se-4 of nw-4 all in Section 25, T 1 S, R 5 W, situate in Stephens county, Oklahoma, consisting of 210 acres more or less.

And s-2 of se-4 of Section 25, T 5 N, R 4 E. And the n-2 of ne-4 of ne-4, and ne-4 of nw-4 of ne-4 of Section 36, T 5 N, R. 4 E, consisting of 110 acres, more or less, situate in Pontotoc County, Oklahoma.

The said interest of Samuel and Atchison Hickman being an undivided one-half interest in fee.

I will proceed to sell the same at public outcry before the court house door, in the County of Stephens, City of Duncan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and sunset of the 4th day of March, 1908. The said sale being made for cash and being subject to the approval of the County Court for the County of Carter, State of Oklahoma.

Witness my hand this the 23d day of January, 1908.

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P. H. Dean, Sam McClure, E. S. Kerr, Clay Jones, Ed Thompson, D. C. Crabtree, A. W. Cope, Ed Cotton, Wm. Felter, T. A. Holman, R. L. Walker, Dr. Truax, C. O. Barton, Duke Stone, R. O. Wheeler, Geo. Thompson, C. C. C. C. Harris, J. W. Bolen, H. M. Furman, T. D. McKeown, Otis Weaver, J. M. King, B. Norrell, D. Ligon, W. C. Duncan, Jno. Crawford, E. H. Lucas, B. C. King, D. W. Huffer, W. H. Eboey, Robt. Wimblish, W. H. L. Campbell, R. M. Roddie, Frank Huddleston, Jim Anderson, Tom Prim, E. S. Raliff, Jap Copeland.

A motion by C. O. Barton carried that the unit rule govern in voting at the state convention.

The finished report of the committee on resolutions and the subsequent disposition of the convention came too late to publish the resolutions, as were finally passed, in this issue. A resolution of endorsement of Governor Haskell in particular and the State administration in general was filed with the committee on resolutions by Dr. M. W. Ligon and favorably reported out by them and unanimously adopted by the convention. The resolution of endorsement of the Hon. Tom D. McKeown as delegate to the national convention and the requirement that the delegates selected do all possible to secure his selection by the state convention carried unanimously. A general resolution of endorsement was had of the able services of Senators Gore and Owen and other members of the national congress. Especially were our national representatives commended for their earnest and capable services in behalf of the removal of restrictions. The resolution of endorsement of Hon. Wm. H. Murray and C. N. Haskell as delegates at large to the national convention reported favorably out of the committee room and to the convention by the chairman of the committee on resolutions was tabled.

Blizzard Prevails at Holdenville.

Holdenville, Ok., Feb. 14.—The worst blizzard in years prevails here tonight. The wind is blowing fifty miles an hour and the snow is blinding. The loss to range stock will be heavy.

EIGHT-INCH SNOW AT TULSA.

Worst Weather of Past Decade Prevails in That Part of Oklahoma.

Tulsa, Ok., Feb. 14.—Eight inches of snow on the level has fallen today, this being the worst storm this section of the country has experienced in ten years. Telegraph and telephone wires are down and railroad traffic is crippled. Tonight the temperature is falling rapidly, promising bitter cold by morning and with it great suffering to tent dwellers and range cattle.

Season's First Snow at Lawton.

Lawton, Ok., Feb. 14.—The first real snow storm of the season to visit this vicinity started early this morning and lasted until 3 o'clock this afternoon. The flakes were large and fell fast, but because of the wet ground and a slight cold little of the snow remained late tonight. A high north wind accompanied the snow. Fruit is not far enough advanced to be injured by the cold.

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RESOLUTION TABLED

The Following Resolution Offered by O. B. Weaver, Chairman Committee on Resolutions, Turned Down by Convention.

The political events in the more positive forces and far reaching effects in the nation today in fact and in spirit are more distinctly portrayed and more significantly exploited in the measures written in the constitution of the State of Oklahoma than elsewhere on earth. Students of the national trend and political attitude of affairs will award the correctness of this assertion. Of the two national political conventions which meet this summer to draft a platform of principles and select the party's standard bearers, in the common event of things the one more nearly embodying the principles of kindred to the precepts obtaining in Oklahoma's constitution and more nearly selecting that man in sympathy with such provisions would be the party enthroned in power by the voice of the people of the nation. If the electorate of the nation untrammelled and afforded opportunity to employ their minds in dispassionate consideration of the problems of which the proper settlement concern most vitally their future welfare, it is a dead moral which that the foregoing conclusions are correct and sound. Bryan the democrat and unsanitized press of the United States, the democratic statesman in and out of congress with one accord acclaim the greatness of Oklahoma's charter of liberty—its constitution, and that the application of its basic principles, the privileges of the people to rule, should indelibly mark the policies formulated at the national democratic convention as will be conveyed to the people through the platform of the party. On account of Oklahoma's constitution and the capable administration of affairs of the state today, the great young commonwealth through its accredited delegations will appear giant-like at the national democratic convention at Denver this summer.

Therefore, Be it resolved, whereas, the Hon. Wm. H. Murray, the present speaker of Oklahoma House of Representatives, and the Hon. C. N. Haskell the governor of the State of Oklahoma were two of the principal constructors and defenders of Oklahoma's constitution and ensuring the time this state has been blessed to be governed under its provisions, they have as occupants of the two more important positions in the state distinguished themselves as true servants of the people, and.

Whereas, it has always been the custom in the various states of the union when delegates to the national convention should be selected, to select from among the men of affairs within the party as delegates at large those citizens of the state, if any, who had become national political figures and were factors in the determination of those policies which should govern the party in the national party contests, and it generally occurring that it is necessary to select the delegates at large from among the leading official representatives of the state, for it is they who ordinary are naturally better acquainted with statecraft and the general political exigencies, and it being the imperative duty of the people to send to the national conventions those citizens of the strongest political grasp and of proven loyalty to their cause, for a monumental responsibility involves on the delegates at a national democratic convention, since the permanent peace, prosperity and happiness of the people of a vast empire may be visibly dependent on the wisdom of their actions, and.

Whereas, in particular reference, The Hon. Wm. H. Murray is the resident of our neighbor county, and on account of his public acts, having gained favorable recognition the length and breadth of the county and within this state there having been implanted in the hearts of the honest yeomenry, ungoverned by political jealousies and contentions, a wholesome regard for him, based on their comprehension of his great and valuable attainments in their behalf and since it from them that he must principally look for any particular recognition at this time, for he is giving the devoted employment of an intensely active mind to the important duties of the speakership of the Oklahoma house of representatives, and.

Whereas, there lives in Oklahoma another distinguished citizen, not of our constitution makers, but notably among its leading defenders; a man, than whom there are none more uni-

versally admired or held as being more distinguished in this state, for whom Pontotoc county excepts no man in the amount and quality of the award of profound respect and confidence; referring to the Hon. Lee Cruise, the man whose voice and influence have accomplished as much for democracy and the people as any other force with the confines of the state, and.

Whereas, it would be a natural and becoming action for this county democracy to help sustain and promote the enviable position Oklahoma now occupies in the regard of the democracy of the nation by recommending to the state convention that there should be selected among those at the head of the Oklahoma state delegation those men to whom is mainly due the distinction of establishing Oklahoma nationally so favorably and who on account of which could establish the delegation from this new state one of the most influential ones in the national convention.

Be it resolved by the democracy of Pontotoc county through its accredited representatives regularly assembled in county convention that the honorable personages of C. N. Haskell, Wm. H. Murray and Lee Cruise be endorsed as delegates at large to the national democratic convention to be assembled at Denver the 7th day of July, 1908.

Respectfully Submitted OTIS B. WEAVER Chairman Com on Resolutions.

OKLAHOMA LAWMAKERS ADJOURS UNTIL MONDAY

Legislators Will Attend County Conventions of Today.

Guthrie, Ok., Feb. 11.—Oklahoma will not have a new civil and criminal code, according to the report of a committee made to the senate today. It recommends that the codes and the crimes act of the Territory of Oklahoma, so far as applicable to the changed conditions under the constitution, be left undisturbed, save where amended by the legislature. The committee recommends, however, that owing to the inapplicability of the present probate law and procedure to the constitution, and the expense it creates, that both be revised and re-enacted.

The senate was in session all day. The morning was devoted to debating a question of changing the calendar and whether adjournment should be taken until Monday in order that senators could attend the county conventions held generally to morrow to name delegates to the state convention. Adjournment until Monday was taken.

Among the new bills was one by Senator Moore appropriating \$200,000 for per diem and contingent expenses of the legislature. The \$100,000 appropriated at the beginning of the session was exhausted today, save \$8, after the house members and the employees cashed their warrants. The senators did not get their pay.

Senator Stewart offered a bill for the creation of a Girls' Industrial school, framed after the Mississippi law, which is to be located the same as other institutions. It is understood that Hugo will apply for the school.

The house met this morning and adjourned until Monday.

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FROM NEW YORK TO PARIS.

Auto Race Across American Continent and Thence to Asia by Way of Behring Straits.

New York, Feb. 12.—The six automobiles contesting in the New York to Paris race started from Times square, forty-second street and Broadway, at 11:15 a. m. today, cheered by a throng of several thousand people. Accompanied by more than 200 motors of all descriptions the racing machines made their way up Broadway and Riverside Drive to the city limits, where they turned north on the road to Albany. From that city the route to San Francisco is the objective point of the first stage of the trip, lies across New York state to Buffalo, thence through Cleveland and Toledo to Chicago, to Omaha, Cheyenne, Ogden, Reno, Goldfield, San Luis Obispo and San Francisco. Mayor McClellan was to have given the word to start, but was delayed, and Coalgate Hoyt, of the automobile club of America, took his place.

A pistol shot sent the contestants away amid the cheering of the people and the hoarse hooting of hundreds of automobile horns.

The contesting cars are the queerest looking machines ever devised for motoring purposes. With their heavy equipment of stores and camp utensils, several of them were a modest representation of the old prairie schooner. One resembles a hook and ladder truck with long running boards on either side, equipped with axes, shovels, ropes and a dozen other articles. The clothing of the drivers varied from black to bear skins to a pure white fur outfit and head dress worn by a French team.

Three French cars, one German, one Italian and one American started in the race. Three men constituted the crews of the foreign machines but there were only two in the American car.

Estimates vary as to the length of time the race will require. From six to nine months, it is believed will be consumed.

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Oklahoma City, Ok., Feb. 14.—A blinding snowstorm raged in this city from 8 o'clock this morning until this evening. Moderate temperature caused the snow to melt rapidly, and traffic was not interrupted. Secretary Topping of the Oklahoma Millers' Association says it will result in a vast amount of good to wheat.

Notice of Sale.

By virtue of the authority vested in me under and pursuant of an order issued out of the County Court for the County of Carter, State of Oklahoma, sitting in probate; the said order of sale having been made on the 23d day of January, 1908, directing me as guardian of the estates of Samuel Hickman and Atchison Hickman, minors, to sell all of their right, title and interest in and to the following described lands, situate in Stephens County, State of Oklahoma, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit: The sw-4 of ne-4; w-2 of se-4 of ne-4, nw-4 of se-4; of se-4; w-2 of ne-4 of se-4; n-2 of sw-4 of se-4 and nw-4 of se-4 of se-4. And s-2 of nw-4 of nw-4; n-2 of sw-4 of nw-4; sw-4 of ne-4 of nw-4 and nw-4 of se-4 of nw-4 all in Section 25, T 1 S, R 5 W, situate in Stephens county, Oklahoma, consisting of 210 acres more or less.

And s-2 of se-4 of Section 25, T 5 N, R 4 E. And the n-2 of ne-4 of ne-4, and ne-4 of nw-4 of ne-4 of Section 36, T 5 N, R. 4 E, consisting of 110 acres, more or less, situate in Pontotoc County, Oklahoma.

The said interest of Samuel and Atchison Hickman being an undivided one-half interest in fee.

I will proceed to sell the same at public outcry before the court house door, in the County of Stephens, City of Duncan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and sunset of the 4th day of March, 1908. The said sale being made for cash and being subject to the approval of the County Court for the County of Carter, State of Oklahoma. Witness my hand this the 23d day of January, 1908.

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Crystal Ice and Coal Co. will now deliver coal at \$6.00 per ton. Phone 122.

Miss Pearl Hicks came over from Roff this morning

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J. W. Jones returned from Tupelo Friday afternoon.

No excuse for you not having your clothes pressed for \$1.00 per month. B. C. Berry.

J. W. Hays and Tom Hope returned from Oklahoma City today.

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Mrs. M. M. Sanders left this morning for a weeks visit with relatives at Okemah

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Miss McClendon left Friday evening for Greenville, Tex., for a few days visit with home folks.

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M. C. Rae, Oscar Collins, C. P. Russell and Ed. Hynard who have been in the Oklahoma court returned to Roff this morning

A new shipment of picture mounting just arrived at L. T. Walters

Francis Gowdy left this morning for Paul's Valley where he will transfer the records for Sulphur Abstract and Title Co. of Murray county.

FOR RENT—A single room over J. E. Jones Drug Store, \$6.00 per month. Apply to E. L. Steed.

Mrs. D. M. Woodard of the Sulphur Abstract and Title Co. who has been here several days transferring records for Murray county returned to her home at Sulphur this morning

A new line of veiling just arrived at the Grand Leader. Do not delay your purchase for it. It will not last long. See our new line of shirts too.

GRAND LEADER.

Mrs. Zella Brass of Roff is in Ada today. Mrs. Brass is a noted vocalist, and one evening next week will give a musicale under the auspices of the home mission.

Miss Virgie Parker who has been visiting relatives at Wynnewood, returned home this afternoon.

Misses Essie Russell and Art Adams went to Wetumka this afternoon for a visit over Sunday with friends

Mrs. Cash Wadland of Purcell spent the day in Ada Thursday visiting the family of Prof. W. A. Allen.

Walter Daggs is all smiles today on account of the valentine which he received last evening. A ten pound boy.

Mrs. J. B. Redman who has been the guest of Mrs. and Miss Haynes for the past few days returned to her home in Holdenville today.

Mrs. Tenne Munday of Stenewall is visiting Mrs. J. L. Foster. They were school mates eleven years ago, and had not seen each other in that length of time

First Methodist Church.
Usual services at the Methodist church Sunday. There will be preaching in the morning by the pastor. All laymen are urged to be in the church parlors at 6:30 where there will be an important business meeting. Instead of the usual preaching service in the evening, the laymen and young people of the town will be addressed by Prof. Conder. This promises to be a very interesting and profitable service. Prof. Conder is a strong speaker and is particularly interested in the young people. T. L. RIPPEY, Pastor.

New Physician.
Dr. M. B. Bartley will open an office in this city next week over the First National bank. Dr. Bartley is an osteopathic physician, a graduate of the American school of osteopathy member of Oklahoma osteopathic association, holding certificates in the states of Missouri and Oklahoma.

Sunday at the Presbyterian.
Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Preaching morning and evening. Sunshine Society meets at 2 p. m. Christian Endeavor society at 3 p. m. Every body cordially invited. J. R. BROWNE, Pastor.

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Ada and McAlester Main Points on the New Route—Oklahoma Central News.

Guthrie, Ok., Feb. 12. A proposed road to run from Salisaw to Lawton through McAlester and Ada is being promoted by William Cullen and Samuel Wandell of New York, representing Eastern capital. Both Ada and McAlester are considering the proposition of offering loans. The road is known as the St. Louis, Springfield & Western and was chartered six months ago by A. D. Goodenough. The road will traverse the Choctaw and Chickasaw nations and will offer a direct route to the road fields.

Surveyors for the proposed Kansas & Texas line were at Guthrie recently. Several towns in Western Oklahoma and the Panhandle of Texas are taking up propositions offering bonuses and the road may be started within a few months.

The Rock Island has finally decided to go ahead with the building of the cut-off from Amarillo, Tex., to Tucumcari, N. M., which will shorten connection between Oklahoma points on the Rock Island line to Amarillo and the Pacific coast. Some forty teams are now engaged in preparing the road bed for the laying of steel. The engineering department of the Rock Island, Robbins' district is superintending the preliminary work but it is said that no definite date has been fixed for the actual laying of steel. A part of the grading was done two years ago and in order to save the charter for the Tucumcari cut-off more than twenty miles of the line is required to be built before May 16, and the Rock Island evidently plans to save the charter at least.

Consolidation Denied.

The Oklahoma Central road has nearly completed its line from Purcell to Chickasha. The fact that the company is building a "Y" at Chickasha to connect with the track of the Rock Island has led to reports that the latter road will purchase the Oklahoma Central. These reports, however, are denied by both companies. The proposed route of the Oklahoma Central is from Atoka to Chickasha, through Ada and Purcell. It crosses the Eastern Rock Island from McAlester, a few miles south of Coalgate. The western terminus is at Chickasha on the Rock Island main line.

The Missouri, Kansas & Texas is planning extensive improvements to its roadbed between Oklahoma City and Atoka this spring. Engineers are now going over the line staking places where grades are to be reduced by cuts. A part of the roadbed has been ballasted with burnt clay and this will be continued until the entire line is thus ballasted with a view of establishing a faster schedule.

Booze at Roff.
Sheriff Tom Smith visited his old home Friday and besides mixing with old friends, nosed around until he found three junks of whiskey in the Rae drug store and later visiting the depot found about 1000 pounds whiskey addressed "Shippers orders, notify the Owl Drug Co. and the Roff Drug Co. The latter company is the Rae place. Smith paid the freight on the goods and retaged it to himself at Ada. It will be deported in the "county dispensary."

Will Rae Guilty.

The jury in the case of Will Rae, charged with selling liquor, returned a verdict of guilty as charged this afternoon at 4 o'clock. This is the second verdict against Rae for unlawfully disposing of intoxicants in the last few days. Judge Terrell will pass sentence later.

Bob Walker and J. C. Andrews of Midland are here in the county convention today.

Wm. Carter, J. K. Scroggins, J. A. Smith, H. O. Southerland and Wm. Felter, are delegates to the county convention from Francis.

Those attending the convention from Roff today are J. W. Vaden, Joe Anderson, Sam McClure, J. L. Anderson, Clay Jones, A. B. McPherson and E. S. Kerr.

Memorial Services.

Th W. C. T. U. will observe Frances E. Willard memorial day Tuesday at 2:30, with Mrs. E. Brants. A good program with special music has been arranged and a pleasant evening is looked for. The public is invited to be present. An offering will be asked at the meeting.

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The policy of the officers and directors of this Bank is to perpetuate its reputation for safety and conservatism, and to accept no proposition involving a risk in order to make an extensive showing. Their intention is to keep the Bank's funds invested in assets readily convertible into cash, and under no condition to undertake speculative ventures, never losing sight of the fact that they are the trustees of a sacred trust and should ever stand ready to give an account of their stewardship.

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SOCIETY COLUMN

The Home Mission society of the Methodist church will meet with Mrs. C. M. Chaucey on Monday. This is the meeting for election of officers, and all members are urged to be present.

The A. B. C. girls are arousing a great deal of curiosity among the young men as to the real name of their club. Some of the names suggested are "A. B. C. Club," "Ada Bread Winners' Club," "All Bachelors' Club," "Ada Biscuit Cutters' and 'Ancient' Bachelors' Club." All of which the girls deny as being anything near their real club.

Mrs. T. B. Harrell will serve tea at the Baptist Parsonage on Thursday afternoon from three to six, in the interest of the Ladies' Aid Society.

The Sorosis Club will meet with Mrs. C. W. McMillan on Friday afternoon at three o'clock.

The ladies of the Methodist church celebrated Valentine's day and the completion of the new parsonage last evening by a surprise and donation party, consisting of groceries, some individual gifts to Mr. and Mrs. Rippey and a set of new dining room chairs and three rockers for the parsonage. Though the weather was very inclement quite a nice crowd was present.

The Twentieth Century Club met on Thursday with Mrs. Tom Hope. On Tuesday the Club will have its regular meeting with Mrs. John Beard, when they will take up the first half of Milton's "L. Allegro."

Misses Edna Fulton and Beulah Stovall entertained the A. B. C.'s last Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. E. Bills. The game for the afternoon was progressive peanuts, which was quite unique in every detail.

Next Saturday Washingtons Birthday the ladies of the Christian church will serve dinner in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Torbett entertained the Forty-two club last evening. The score cards were red hearts fastened to the back of each was a small pin cushion, at each progression the ladies received a needle and the men a pin. A chafing supper was served in dining room, consisting of Welsh rarebit, cheese straws, salted almonds, and tongue sandwiches cut in heart shape.

Quite the jolliest party of the "glad new year" was given by the A. B. C. girls at the home of Miss Bess Katz on Valentine's eve. It was strictly a "heart affair" in leap year, which gave the young ladies an opportunity to propose and select their own partners for the different games. The house was most appropriately decorated in hearts, red ribbons and lanterns. The young ladies masked and called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomson, where they found the young men, most of whom were becomingly (?) dressed as a baseball team, with knickerbockers, white shirt waists and skull caps. The evening was one continuous round of merriment from the time the young men attempted to find their partners from a long row of masked young ladies, till the clock struck twelve and with bow and arrow they were shooting hearts, on which was the name of the young lady whom they were to take home, and it is rumored that some of the young men used strategic methods to obtain certain names. In the receiving line were Misses Katz, Stovall, Torbett, Haynes, White, Misses Taylor, Gwinn, Thompson and Warren, were on the entertainment committee. Misses Harrell, Timberlake Simms and Fulton, composed the refreshment committee. Misses Wilson, Enla Claire Sims, Haynes, Smith and

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A. L. Fenton and T. B. Liner of Stenewall and F. L. Norton of Roff, are in Ada today and have determined to establish in this city a well equipped commercial school. These gentlemen come to Ada not strangers, for they are well known by many citizens of the town and they possess the good will and unqualified endorsement of the commercial and social interests of Ada. Prof. Fenton and Liner have been conducting successfully a commercial school at Stenewall and their equipment which is extensive will be removed to this city at once. Prof. Norton will have active supervision of the institution. Prof. Liner will be engaged as instructor in the commercial department and Prof. Fenton will spend his time in the field soliciting.

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SERIOUSLY HURT.

Geo. Cotrell Has Narrow Escape at Oil Mill.

Friday night at 9 o'clock Geo. Cotrell an employee at the oil mill was seriously injured. While repairing a belt he was caught on a line shaft and before he could be liberated his clothes were torn from his body and his right side painfully lacerated. The surgeons announce that his wound being very serious, is not at all dangerous.

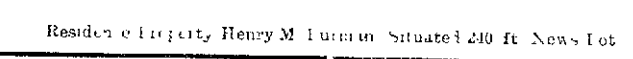
The injured man is 30 years of age and single. He is confined at his room in the Mallieost hotel.

Smallpox.

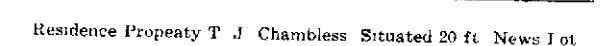
Will Emmerson, col., who is confined in the county jail has the smallpox.

Grippe is sweeping the country. Stop it with Preventics, before it gets deeply seated. To check early colds with these Little Candy Cold Cure Tablets is surely sensible and safe. Preventics contain no Quinine, no laxative, nothing harsh or sickening. Pneumonia would never appear if early colds were promptly broken. Always good for feverish children. Large box, 48 tablets, 25 cents. Vest-pocket boxes, 12c. Sold by G. M. Ramsey.

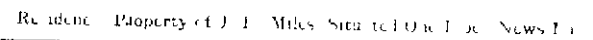
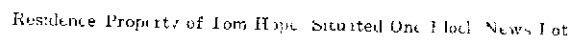
The News Editors and Proprietors have been unable to push the big subscription contest until now. Following this issue of the News, one of the News Editors will devote practically his entire time looking after the interests of the contest. It is true more than one thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars in actual values will be given away.



The News has decided to give away as a special premium a standard make, best quality, \$25 00 cash price, J I, Case Cultivator, sold by the popular Ada Hardware Co., of which Messrs. Broadfoot and McKendree are proprietors. See complete description on another page. This premium will be delivered free to the subscription contestant who is in the lead March the 19th, as will be shown in the columns of the News on that day. This is the first special pre-



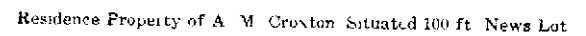
The first premium to the most popular lady will be Standard Brand Finely Finished, Mellow Toned Upright Piano, worth \$500.00 and guaranteed for ten years by the manufacturers and their retail merchants, The Mathews Music Company Pontotoc County's most responsible music house



Call at The News Office for Further Information.

There is not a more desirable or beautiful lot in Ada. Situated in popular Sunrise Addition, within four blocks of the business district of the city, in the midst of more than \$30,000 valuable improved property, it is easily worth more than other lots in this city which have sold for six or seven hundred dollars.

The public is invited to view the pictures of the beautiful homes in Sunrise Addition, all of which are situated within one block of this pretty lot to be given away. Practical proof is supplied that the lot is as desirable and valuable as any in the city.



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